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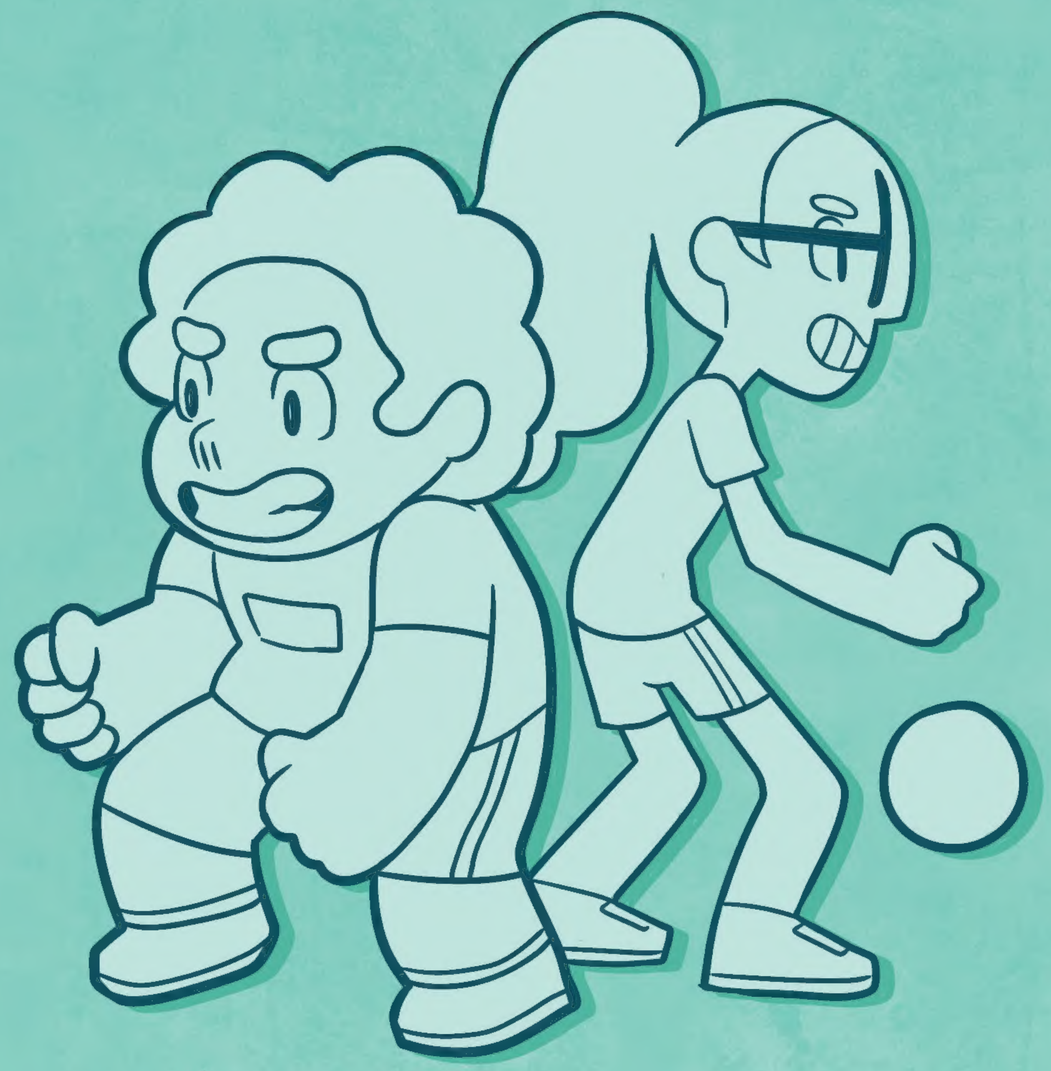

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WHAT?!

I'M TOO BORED TO DO ANYTHING.

SORRY STEVEN, BUT MY TIME IS CURRENTLY OCCUPIED.

AWWWW.

TRY AND ENJOY THE DAY WITHOUT US.

BUT I THOUGHT WE HAD A MISSION! THAT'S WHY I'M...

YAWN AWAKE.

PULMONATE GASTROPOD MOLLUSKS ARE OFTEN NOCTURNAL. WE WON'T TRACK *THE MOLLUSK UNTIL* AFTER DARK.

OH LION, WHAT IS A BORED MAGICAL BOY TO DO?!

SCHOOL BUS STOP

HI STEVEN, WHAT'RE YOU DOING UP SO EARLY.

SIGGHHHHHH JUST WANDERING THIS LIFE AIMLESSLY.

HOW'RE YOU?

MY DAD THOUGHT HE COULD GET HIS CAR FIXED BEFORE I HAD TO GET TO SCHOOL BUT IT LOOKS LIKE I'M RIDING THE BUS NOW.

IT MUST BE NICE TO HAVE A PURPOSE IN THIS LIFE.

DO YOU WANT TO HOLD MY BOOKS?

YESSSSSS!

SCHOOL BUS STOP

SO WHAT'RE WE DOING IN SCHOOL TODAY?

HAHA, "WE"?

I HAVE BEEN WORRIED ABOUT THE FUTURE OF THAT YOUNG STEVEN UNIVERSE FOR SOME TIME NOW.

HAHA, THAT RABBLE ROUSER!

A WHAT NOW?

AW STEVEN.

I'M SO OUT OF TOUCH WITH THE KIDS THESE DAYS.

WELL, HERE'S MY RIDE.

WELL, YOU HAVE FUN... WITHOUT ME.

SCHOOL BUS

STOP

OH! YOU REALLY WANT TO COME?

I SUPPOSE THAT'S FINE.

YES PLEASE!

THANK YOU CONNIE! I'M GOING TO SAVE US THE BEST SEAT!

WHAT AM I GOING TO TELL MY TEACHER?

OH I KNOW!

FOR TODAY'S SHOW AND TELL
I BROUGHT IN MY FRIEND STEVEN.

THIS IS A LITTLE... UNCONVENTIONAL CONNIE, BUT I'LL MAKE AN EXCEPTION.

MY FRIEND STEVEN IS PART OF A TEAM OF INTERGALACTIC DEFENDERS CALLED THE CRYSTAL GEMS!

THEY PROTECT EARTH FROM A CONQUERING FORCE WHO ARE, WELL, THEY ARE ALSO GEMS BUT BAD...GEMS.

...AND EACH OF THE GEMS...

...HAVE THESE POWERS...

...THAT THEY, UM... HAVE...

...BECAUSE OF THESE SPECIAL GEM STONES.

WHICH ARE IN THEIR...

...BODIES BECAUSE THEIR BODIES ARE, UM...

...REFLECTIONS OF LIGHT REFRACTED THROUGH...

...THE, UH--

IT'S LIKE A PRISM? I GUESS? I DUNNO. MANIFESTATIONS OF... LIGHT. BUT THEY'RE LIKE SUPERHEROES FROM SPACE!? WELL, SOME SUPERHEROES. *ARE* FROM SPACE.

SEE! MINE IS FROM MY MOM WHICH MEANS THAT I'M HALF A GEM... WELL, I DON'T KNOW WHAT I AM REALLY.

STEVEN! I KNOW YOU ARE NEW BUT IN MY CLASSROOM WE MAINTAIN A DRESS CODE!

OH I'M SORRY MRS. LEZNER.

I JUST WANTED TO SHOW THAT CONNIE IS TELLING THE TRUTH. I'M ONE OF THEM AND EVEN I HAVE TROUBLE BELIEVING IT.

AND THE GEMS CAME TO EARTH TO CONQUER IT, LIKE, I DUNNO, A LONG TIME AGO!

I DON'T KNOW HOW LONG BUT A *LONG TIME.*

C

I FEEL LIKE AMETHYST WOULD HAVE TOLD ME IF SHE SAW DINOSAURS THOUGH.

STEVEN, CONNIE, I APPRECIATE YOUR... STORY BUT I THINK IT'S TIME WE GOT BACK TO OUR LESSON FOR THE DAY.

YOU'D TELL SOMEONE IF YOU MET A DINOSAUR RIGHT? LIKE, YOU WOULDN'T HIDE THAT?

I'M GOING TO HAVE TO ASK YOU TO TAKE YOUR SEATS!

BUT THEN AGAIN, THEY *ARE* FROM SPACE. MAYBE DINOSAURS ARE NO BIG DEAL TO THEM?

STEVEN, DINOSAURS AREN'T FROM SPACE. THEY FIRST APPEARED IN THE TRIASSIC PERIOD AND I HIGHLY DOUBT YOUR ***AHEM*** FRIENDS WERE AROUND 231 MILLION YEARS AGO.

MAYBE THEY WERE! NONE OF US WERE THERE TO KNOW FOR SURE!

YOU SHOULD BRING THE CRYSTAL GEMS IN FOR SHOW AND TELL AND WE CAN ASK THEM!

NO, NO WE ARE PREPARING FOR OUR QUIZ TODAY NOT...

WE KNOW SO LITTLE ABOUT SPACE, IT COULD BE VERY EDUCATIONAL.

YEAH, MRS. L, WHO KNOWS WHAT'S GOING ON OVER THERE!

HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA

HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA

ENOUGH STUDENTS! STEVEN, THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR THAT FANTASTICAL STORY BUT IT'S TIME WE RETURNED TO TODAY'S LESSON.

BUT IT WASN'T A STORY! THE NEW KID REALLY IS FROM SPACE!

MAYBE I'M A CRYSTAL GEM TOO!

STEVEN, HOW DO WE KNOW IF WE'RE CRYSTAL GEMS!?

NO, BUT I'M ACTUALLY...

STUDENTS! I'M SORRY BUT NONE OF YOU ARE FROM SPACE! THAT IS HIGHLY IMPROBABLE.

I'M NOT BUT MY FRIENDS ARE.

I'VE HAD ENOUGH OF THIS DISRUPTION. STUDENTS, OPEN UP YOUR TEXTBOOKS TO PAGE...

WE BELIEVE YOU'RE FROM SPACE, NEW KID.

I'M NOT FROM SPACE!

STEVEN UNIVERSE, I WILL NOT HAVE YOU DISRUPTING MY CLASSROOM ANY FURTHER.

BUT... BUT... I WASN'T! HONEST!

TOMORROW IS THE FINAL EXAM MR. UNIVERSE AND IF WE DON'T GET BACK TO THE LESSON THE STUDENTS WILL BE UNPREPARED!

I DIDN'T DO ANYTHING!

YOU CAN'T PROVE YOUR FRIENDS MET DINOSAURS.

HEY!
BOP
ONE MORE DISRUPTION OUT OF YOU AND I'LL BE FORCED TO SEND YOU TO THE PRINCIPALS OFFICE.
SOMEONE HIT ME!
BOP.

OH NO.

WOAH!

PRINCIPAL

CONNIE. I'M...I'M SO SORRY. IT'LL BE ALRIGHT.

NO! IT WON'T BE. DO YOU EVEN KNOW WHAT A PERMANENT RECORD IS?!

WHEN YOU'RE BORN, YOU GET A PERMANENT RECORD THAT KEEPS TRACK OF EVERYTHING YOU'VE EVER DONE, EVER.

AND RIGHT NOW THE PRINCIPAL IS BRINGING US INTO HER OFFICE TO MAKE SURE NO ONE EVER FORGETS.

SO WHEN I GET ACCEPTED FOR THE SPACE PROGRAM, THEY'LL SEE MY PERMANENT RECORD AND SAY DR. MAHESWAREN WE'RE SORRY BUT...

BUT CONNIE! THAT'S NOT FAIR.

IT DOESN'T MATTER STEVEN.

SORRY I'M LATE. YOU WOULDN'T BELIEVE THIS BUT A CAR ACTUALLY CAME TO...GET...WASHED... HEY BUDDY.

HOW LONG... HAVE YOU BEEN IN SCHOOL? DON'T I HAVE TO SIGN SOMETHING.

HELLO MR. UNIVERSE.

HEY DAD.

SO...

SIP

SIGH

I DIDN'T EVEN KNOW STEVEN ATTENDED SCHOOL! I MEAN, HE GOES TO SCHOOL, HE'S HOMESCHOOLED BY HIS... GUARDIANS BUT I UM...

I TAKE THAT YOU MEAN THESE WOMEN FROM SPACE.

I RUN A VERY REGIMENTED PROGRAM HERE MR. UNIVERSE. I'M SURE YOU CAN UNDERSTAND THAT.

OF COURSE.

I DON'T HAVE ANYTHING PERSONALLY AGAINST THESE SO-CALLED SPACE WOMEN TEACHING YOUR SON...

BUT BASED ON TODAY'S OUTBURST, I THINK THERE ARE BENEFITS TO EDUCATING A CHILD AMONGST...

OTHER HUMAN CHILDREN.

IT'S NOT MY PLACE TO FORCE SOMEONE NOT UNDER MY TUTELAGE INTO ANYTHING.

BUT WITH JUST A SINGLE WEEK LEFT IN OUR CALENDAR SCHOOL YEAR I THINK THIS YOUNG STEVEN UNIVERSE...

...COULD REALLY BENEFIT FROM, HOW DO I PUT THIS NICELY, A REALITY CHECK.

YOUR NAME MAY BE UNIVERSE BUT UNFORTUNATELY IT DOES NOT REVOLVE AROUND YOU.

SO...

I'M SORRY DAD.

WE ALL HAVE BAD DAYS, SMALL FRY.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO STICK AROUND IF YOU DON'T WANT TO.

I JUST WANT TO MAKE IT UP TO EVERYONE. I WANT TO STAY IN SCHOOL.

PRINCIPAL

WELL I'M OFF TO TO GO FILL THIS OUT. YOU TWO HAVE A... BETTER DAY!

CHATTER
CHATTER

AND WHADDAYAKNOW
IT'S TACO DAY!
CONNIE, LOOK!

TODAY'S SPECIAL:
TACO
TUESDAY

OH STEVEN UNIVERSE.

GET THAT. NO. NO. MAYBE. GET THAT. DON'T EVEN LOOK AT THAT.

ALRIGHT LET ME EXPLAIN TO YOU HOW CLIQUES WORK.

I USED TO JUST SKIP ALL OF THIS AND JUST EAT IN THE LIBRARY BUT I FIGURE YOU NEED TO GET A REAL CAFETERIA EXPERIENCE!

THANKS, CONNIE!

ALRIGHT, SO WE HAVE...

THOSE ARE ALL THE TUBETUBE STARS.

YOU KNOW CHINCHILLAH?! AND IS THAT ACTUALELIJAH?! *CONNIE!!*

THOSE ARE THE BOARD GAMERS. EACH CLASS PASSES ALONG "THE GAME" TO THE NEXT SET OF KIDS WHO CONTINUE THEIR WORK. THE SCHOOL HAS DECLARED THEIR TABLE A HERITAGE SITE.

THAT CLIQUE IS THE ANTI-CLIQUE CLIQUE. THEY'VE ALL BEEN OUSTED FROM VARIOUS CLIQUES SO NOW THEY'RE LOBBYING TO THE SCHOOL FOR SOCIAL CHANGE.

AND THAT'S THE JUNIOR SAFETY PATROL, "THE NOT-TARDY PARTY." THEY HAVE TIME TO GET PERFECT GRADES *AND* VOLUNTEER AFTER SCHOOL! NO ONE KNOWS HOW THEY MANAGE.

ALRIGHT, LOOK AROUND, TELL ME IF YOU SEE ANY OPEN SPOTS.

SOY

STEVEN?! WHERE DID YOU...

STEVEN!

EVERYONE MEET CONNIE! CONNIE, EVERYONE!

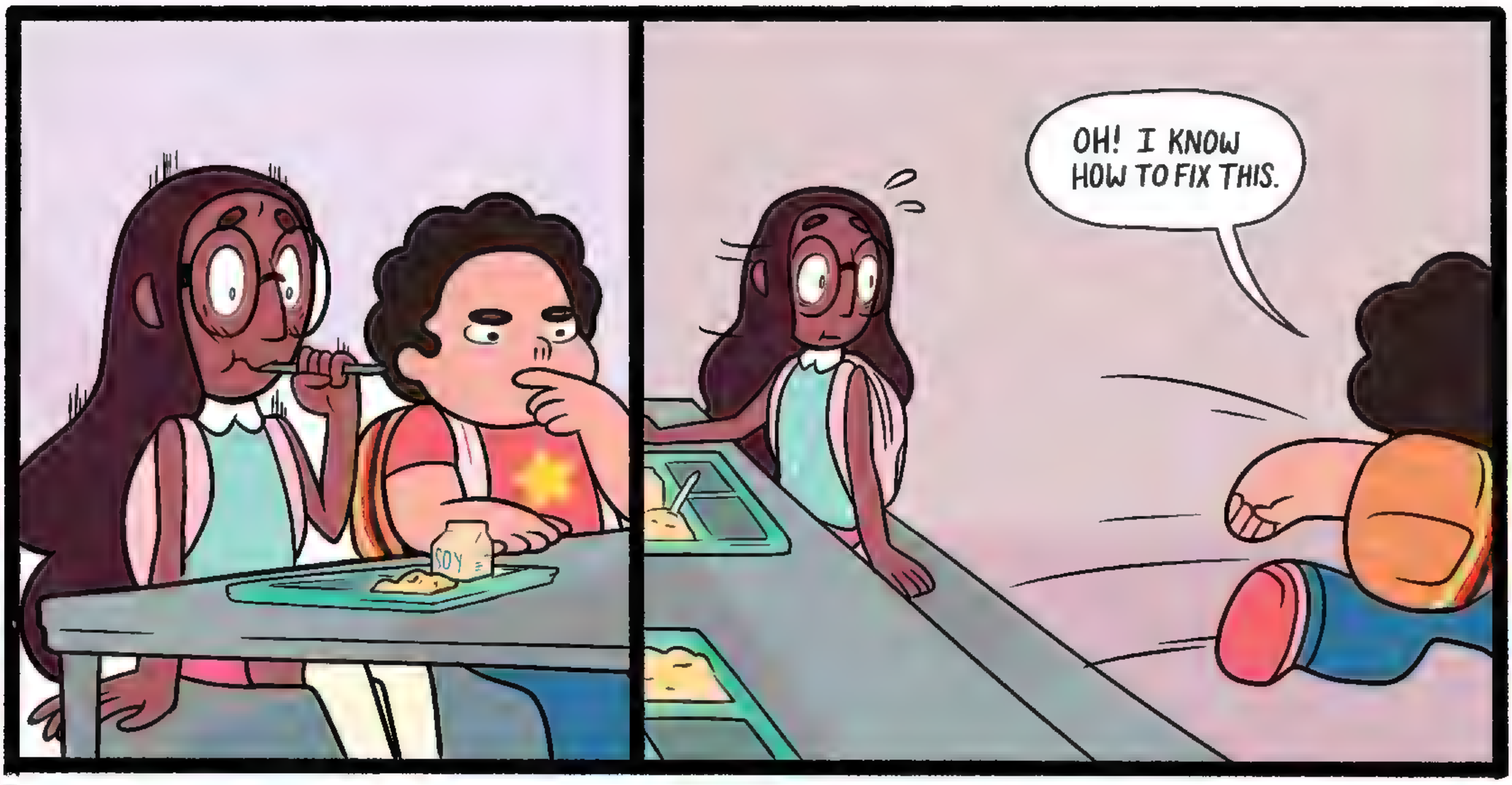
HI. EVERYONE.

WE WERE JUST TALKING ABOUT HOW THE TACOS ARE *TOO SALTY TO EAT.*

ALL I TASTE IS A LIFE TIME OF HEALTH PROBLEMS.

I'VE LEARNED SO MUCH WORKING AT *THAT RETIREMENT HOME. WE ONLY GET ONE BODY, WHY NOT NOURISH IT?*

I KNOW EXACTLY WHAT YOU MEAN.



RECIPE:

TACO SALAD!

PREP: IT'LL BE DONE IN LIKE, 2 SECONDS!

INGREDIENTS:

1) ONE ORDER OF TACO TUESDAY
2) A LOT OF GREEN STUFF FROM THE SALAD BAR.
3) SOME CONDI-MMMMMENTS (KETCHUP, MUSTART, MAYO, RELISH, RANCH)
4) THE FIZZ SOME LEMON LIME SODA (GARNISH)

DIRECTIONS:

1) MASH UP
2) ENJOY
3) COMPLIMENT YOUR CHEF

THIS AIN'T HALF BAD.

YEAH, THANK YOU FOR LOOKING OUT FOR OUR CARDIOVASCULAR HEALTH!

WHAT'S GOING ON?

THAT ACTUALLY LOOKS EDIBLE!

WHAT?!

WOULD YOU LIKE SOME CONNIE?

MMMHmmm

BOYS STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

1998 2005 2010
1999 2006 2011
2000 2007 2012
2002 2008 2014
2004 2009 2015

MIGHTY PINEAPPLES

GIRLS STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

1999 2004 2009 2013
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THEY... THEY KNEW MY NAME STEVEN, THIS IS *HUGE!*

MAYBE THEY'LL TEACH ME THEIR TRICKS FOR BETTER TIME MANAGEMENT.

EVERYONE! GATHER ROUND

YES COACH!

TODAY'S CLASS WILL FOCUS ON THE IMPORTANCE OF TEAM WORK.

AND HOW TO NOT FLINCH.

HAHA HA

OOF!

OW!

NO!

LET'S DO THIS!

STEVEN!

BAM

MIGHTY
PINEAPPLES
BANG
BAM
BOUNCE
WHACK

SORRY?

GOOD JOB TEAM CONNIE AND NEW KID.

-DGEBALL! YOU WOULD LOVE IT I KNOW I DO.

BUT MAYBE I ONLY LIKE IT BECAUSE I'M REALLY GOOD AT IT? MAKES YOU THINK, HUH?

MHMMMM, IT DOES STEVEN.

I DO A LOT OF THINKING NOW THAT I'M "IN" SCHOOL. IT'S PART OF THE NEW ME.

THAT'S NICE STEVEN. I'M GLAD YOU ENJOY PUMMELING CHILREN YOUR OWN AGE.

THIS TRAIL IS OLD. IT MAY HAVE MOVED ALREADY.

WHAT HAS?

THE PROBLEM IS THAT MOLLUSKS SUCH AS THIS ONE OUTGROW THEIR SHELLS SO QUICKLY, THEY HAVE TO KEEP MOVING TO FIND LODGINGS BIG ENOUGH.

AHH
STEVEN!

CRYSTAL GEMS! ASSEMBLE!

GOT YOU!

HAHA, WEEEE!

NO YOU DON'T.

RIPPP

HA

WELL ANYWAY, I JUST DON'T GET WHY STEVEN NEEDS TO GO TO SCHOOL, HE LEARNS EVERYTHING HE NEEDS WITH US.

YOU JUST THINK THAT BECAUSE YOU DON'T GET TO GO TO SCHOOL WITH HIM.

IF STEVEN FEELS LIKE THE HUMAN EDUCATION SYSTEM IS IMPORTANT TO HIM THEN WE SHOULD SUPPORT HIS FEELINGS.

WHO SAID I NEVER GET TO GO TO SCHOOL? I HEARD ABOUT SOMETHING CALLED "PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES" WHICH HAPPEN TWICE A YEAR.

CAN I HAVE THIS?! MRS. LEZNER GIVES EXTRA CREDIT FOR SHOW AND TELL.

I SUPPOSE. WE'VE ALREADY BUBBLED THE BEAST SO THERE'S NO DANGER IN IT.

AND IT'LL GIVE ME THE CHANCE TO EXPLAIN WHO MY SUPER COOL FRIENDS THE CRYSTAL GEMS ARE!!

OOOO, WHO ARE THEY? I LIKE THEIR NAME.

STEVEN, IS THERE A PROBLEM WITH YOUR TEST?

OH NO, I'M ALREADY DONE.

JUST DOUBLE CHECK YOUR ANSWERS AND I'LL PICK YOURS UP SOON.

PENCILS DOWN EVERYONE!

bzzzt

MRS. LEZNER! CAN I SHOW MY SHOW AND TELL SINCE I MISSED YESTERDAY'S SHOW AND TELL.

WELL, YES, I SUPPOSE SO. BUT DO IT QUICKLY.

THANK YOUUUuuu.

FOR TODAY'S SHOW AND TELL I HAVE...

OH NO!
I CAN'T FIND IT?!
I JUST HAD IT.

WELL MAYBE
YOU JUST...

IT HAS TO
BE HERE.

STEVEN!
THIS IS HARDLY
APPROPRIATE.

STUDENTS, LOOK
AROUND YOUR DESKS
TO SEE IF YOU SEE
STEVEN'S MISSING...
SHOW AND TELL.
STEVEN,
WHAT WAS IT?

IT WAS A SNAIL'S
SHELL! IT WAS...

HEY!
MY BACKPACK
IS MISSING.

IT WAS JUST HERE.

MY LUNCH IS GONE TOO!

MY CHAIR!

STUDENTS! *STUDENTS!* VOICES DOWN PLEASE!

SLIP

IF I'VE SAID IT ONCE, I'VE SAID IT A MILLION TIMES.

NO FOOD OR DRINK OUTSIDE OF THE CAFETERIA!

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS!?

OH NO.

DID YOU SAYYY SOMETHING STEVEN UNIVERSE?

STEVEN! ANSWER ME WHEN I AM SPEAKING TO YOU!

STEVEN! UNIVERSE! DO NOT MAKE ME ASK YOU AGAIN!

BAKE SALE! FRIDAY 3:00

MRS. LEZNER, I'M SORRY BUT I THINK THIS IS MY FAULT. AGAIN.

SIGHHH STEVEN, I KNOW YOU ARE A NEW ADDITION TO MY CLASSROOM BUT FOOD AND DRINK IS NOT PERMITTED...

MRS. LEZNER, CAN STEVEN AND I USE A HALL PASS TO CLEAN THE MESS UP?

THAT'S A VERY RESPONSIBLE IDEA CONNIE. HURRY BACK.

HALL PASS

STEVEN WHAT DID YOU DO THIS TIME?

IT WASN'T ME! ACTUALLY IT MIGHT BE.

WHAT'RE YOU ALL DOING?!

WE NEED TO BORROW THE HALL PASS!

ME TOO!

YEAH!

RUN FOR IT!

THE JUNIOR SAFETY PATROL HAS IT CORNERED IN MY GYMNASIUM!

...

GRE AAAAAAAA

WHAT... IN THE WORLD...

WHAT WAS YOUR SHOW AND TELL?

IT WAS SUPPOSED TO BE A LOT SMALLER.

HEY!

SORRY NEW KID BUT YOU KNOW THE RULE, NO CELL PHONES DURING SCHOOL HOURS.

BUT IT'S AN EMERGENCY!

HARDLY. WE HAVE IT CORNERED AND WE'RE WAITING FOR THE PROPER AUTHORITIES.

CONNIE! TELL THEM THAT I AM THE PROPER AUTHORITIES.

CONNIE?

CONNIE! GET BACK HERE RIGHT NOW! DOESN'T A HUMAN CHAIN MEAN ANYTHING TO YOU?

GRRR

THERE ARE RULES, SNAIL!

I KNOW YOU'RE NEW HERE...

BUT THAT IS NO EXCUSE FOR THEFT *AND* DISORDERLY CONDUCT *AND*...

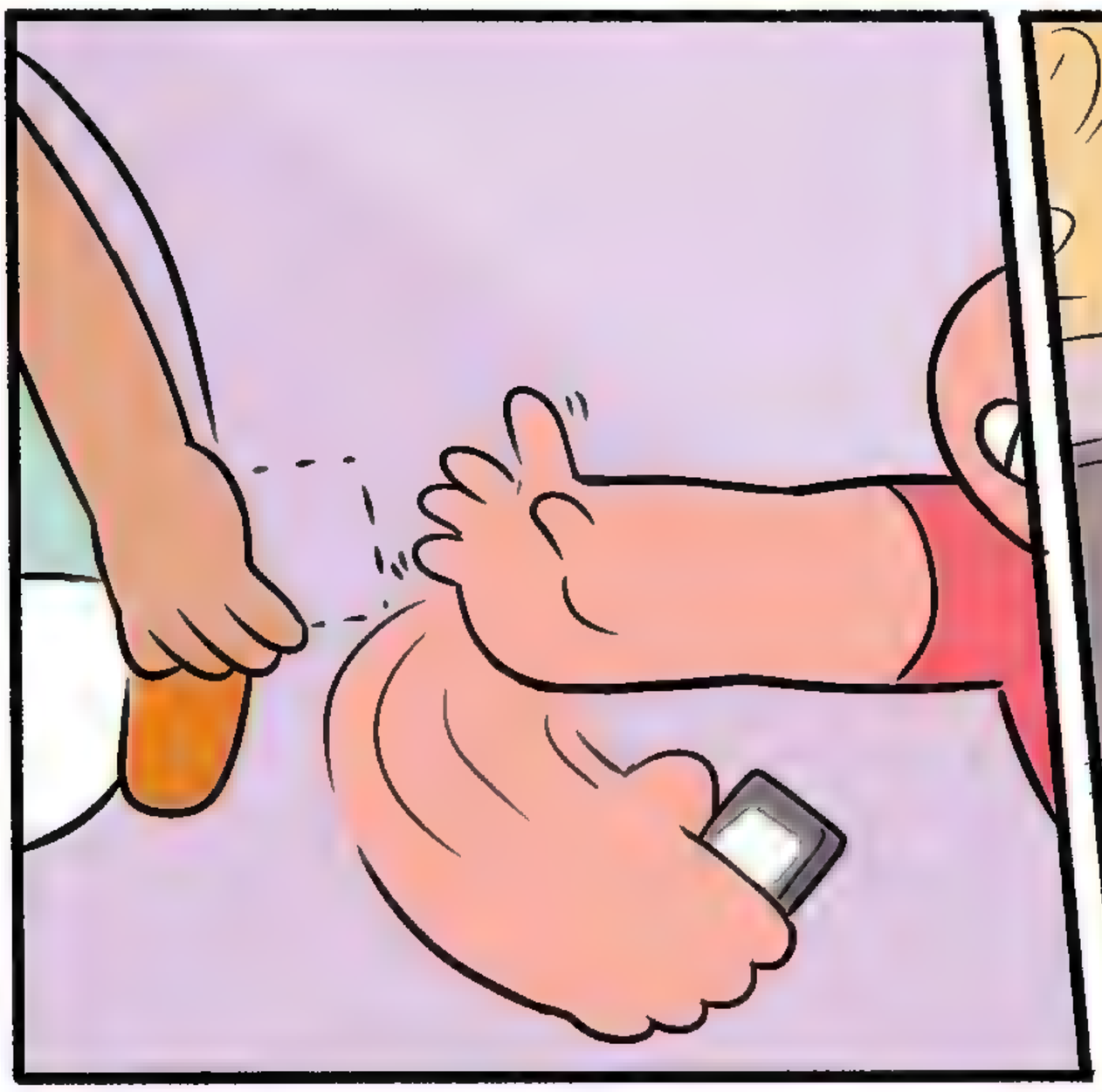
MAKING US MISS OUT ON PRECIOUS CLASSROOM TIME!

BOUNCE

BAM

BONK!

WOAH, WHAT A SERVE.



I'M SORRY I JUST HAVE TO CALL MY DAD!

A STUDENT IS IN DANGER!

JUNIOR SAFETY PATROL! ASSEMBLE!!

FFFFTTTTTTTTTTT

CONCENTRATE ON ITS ARMOR! IF WE PIERCE ITS SHELL IT'LL BE EASIER TO MANAGE.

BAM

WHACK

BOUNCE

EVERYONE! REGROUP! HEAD FOR THE GYM DOORS!

EVERYONE! READY! ON MY COUNT!

GREAAAAA

WHAM

HUFF! HUFF! HUFF!
I'M SORRY!
I'M SORRYYY!

DADDDD
PICK UP
YOUR
PHONEEEEE...

SNORE

DAAAA-DDD! THIS IS WHY WE
HAVE CELLPHONES!
BECAUSE OF GIANT SNAILS!

C'MON, C'MON!

THIS IS THE BIG DONUT, WHAT DO YOU WANT?

LARS! I NEED A HUGE FAVOR!

I NEED YOU TO GET THE CRYSTAL GEMS AND TELL THEM CONNIE'S SCHOOL IS UNDER ATTACK FROM A GIANT SNAIL!

MMM, MAY I ASK WHO IS CALLING?

FINE! I'M GOING, I'M GOING! HOLD DOWN THE FORT FOR ME, DUDE.

LARS! GO!

HEY! STEVEN NEEDS YOUR...

WE ALREADY KNOW BIG DONUT BOY.

YOU'RE WELCOME!

GRAH

BAM

CRASH

SSH

I'M GLAD EVERYTHING IS GREAT WITH YOU SADIE! YEAH, SCHOOL'S GOOD. HEY HAVE YOU EVER PLAYED DODGEBA-

STEVEN!

CONNIE! SADIE, I'LL CALL YOU BACK.

WE HAVE TO DO SOMETHING!

FFFTTTTTTTT

THIS ISN'T WORKING. I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO.

GREAAAAAA

GREAAAAA

WOMP WOMP

GASP!
IT SHRUNK!

WAIT, *HOW?!*

YESTERDAY'S SALTY CAFETERIA FOOD!

EVERYONE! FIND A TRAY AND READY YOURSELVES!!

ON MY MARK!
GO!

GREEAAAAA

WOMP WOMP WOMP

AAAA

GRRR

YOU'RE THE BEST CONNIE.

WHAT JUST HAPPENED?

IS IT OVER?

FFFFFFFFFFFFFF

THT

THT

THT

THT

EVERYONE! WATCH OUT!

IT HAS US PINNED DOWN.

PEARL!

STEVEN, CONNIE, STAY BACK.

WATCH OUT!

STEVEN YOU WATCH OUT!

THK!

THK!

THK!

THK!

NO YOU DON'T!

TINK

TINK

THWAP

GRRRR

WOAH

STICK

ARGGGHHHH!

AMETHYST! GET READY!

AMETHYST!

FOUND IT!

?!

IT SLIPPED AWAY!

THERE!

$1.00

HISSSS

ARRGGHHH

EVERYONE!
GET OUTSIDE!

THK!
HA! FOUND YOU!

NO WAY!

ENOUGH!

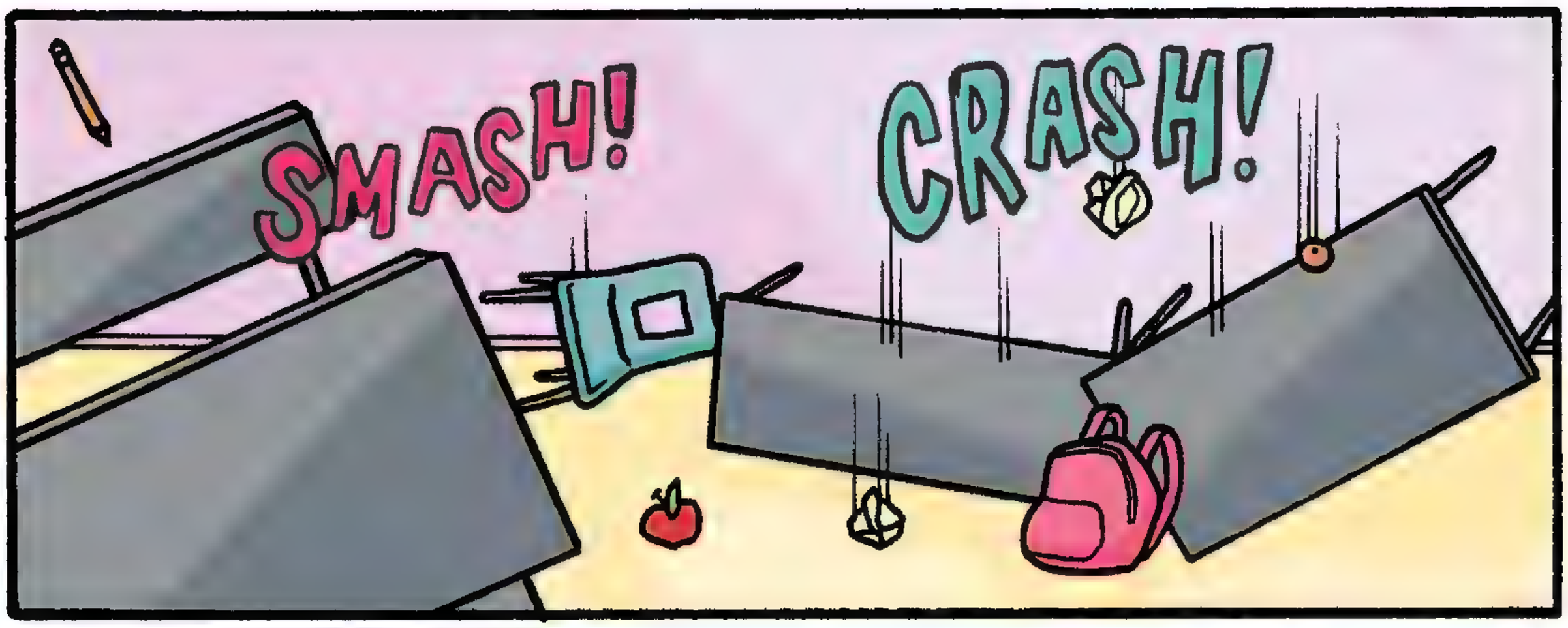
SLAM

I SEE IT!

NO STAY STILL.

THWACK!

GOT IT!
POOF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CRASH!

Ccreeeeekkkkk

SMASH

IT'S CAVING IN!

UNIVERSE!

PRINCIPAL

CONNIE, I'M SO... I'M SO SORRY.

HEH, HEH, HAHA!

HAHAHAHA STEVEN...I...I...HAHA!

IT'S...IT'S ALRIGHT STEVEN. HOW CAN I BE WORRIED NOW THAT MY PERMANENT RECORD WAS PROBABLY DESTROYED.

UNIVERSE, MAHESWARAN. COME INTO MY OFFICE.

NOW.

STEVEN. CONNIE.
SIT DOWN PLEASE.

IT HAS COME TO
MY ATTENTION STEVEN
THAT YOU WERE THE
RESPONSIBLE PARTY
FOR TODAY'S...INCIDENT.

ACCIDENTS HAPPEN, YES, BUT UNFORTUNETLY WITH...

...“ACCIDENTS”...

...OF THIS MAGNITUDE...

...DISCIPLINARY ACTION IS OUR ONLY COURSE OF ACTION.

WHAT ON EARTH HAPPENED TODAY?

GLARE

OHHHHHHHHH. OKAY.

PLEASE SIT DOWN MR. UNIVERSE.

AS I WAS SAYING, DISCIPLINARY ACTION.

TODAY YOU IMPEDED THE EDUCATION OF THE ENTIRE STUDENT BODY.

NOT ONLY DID YOU ENDANGER YOUR OWN LIFE, CONNIE, BUT THE ENTIRETY OF THE STUDENT BODY IN DOING SO.

WHAT?! CONNIE HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH IT!!

CONNIE HAD EVERYTHING TO DO WITH IT. LEADING A GROUP OF MY STUDENTS TO ATTACK A THREAT ON THEIR OWN!

THERE ARE AN ORDER TO THINGS MISS MAHESWARAN THAT WE MUST OBEY.

THAT MAKES NO SENSE AT ALL! CONNIE DIDN'T DESTROY THE SCHOOL!

YEAH! IT WAS THAT SNAIL.

THAT STEVEN BROUGHT TO SCHOOL!

EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, CONNIE WILL BE SUSPENDED FROM THIS SCHOOL INDEFINITELY.

BUT... WHAT ABOUT MY OTHER EXAMS?

UNFORTUNATELY YOU WILL RECIEVE *INCOMPLETES* AND WILL NOT PASS. THERE IS A POSSIBILITY OF MAKING THE CLASSES UP IN SUMMER SCHOOL.

BE REASONABLE!

REASONABLE!
AS IF ANYTHING THAT HAPPENED TODAY WAS REASONABLE!

AS CARETAKER OF THIS SCHOOL, IT IS MY RESPONSIBILITY TO PROTECT MY STUDENTS!

A FEELING YOU UNDOUTABLY UNDERSTAND AS THE LEGAL GUARDIAN OF JUST *ONE* CHILD!

THERE MUST BE SOMETHING ELSE THAT WE CAN DO?

I AM STILL ACTING PRINCIPAL FOR WHAT IS LEFT OF MY SCHOOL.

I HAVE REACHED MY DECISION.

KNOCK KNOCK

COME IN.

HOPE I AM NOT INTERRUPTING SOMETHING URGENT.

WHAT IS IT MRS. LEZNER?

WELL, IT ACTUALLY HAS TO DO WITH STEVEN'S FINAL EXAM SCORE.

STEVEN GOT A PERFECT SCORE.

STEVEN UNIVERSE

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HOW DID YOU HAVE TIME TO GRADE TODAY'S EXAMS ALREADY?

OH! WELL, WHEN I GET STRESSED I GRADE ASSIGNMENTS. CALMS ME RIGHT DOWN.

HAND ME THAT, PLEASE.

HE EVEN GOT THE EXTRA CREDIT. I WAS SHOCKED TOO.

THIS IS IMPOSSIBLE! HE WAS ONLY IN SCHOOL FOR A SINGLE DAY!

I DIDN'T BELIEVE IT EITHER BUT I DOUBLE CHECKED ALL THE ANSWERS.

SEE AMETHYST! I TOLD YOU STEVEN DOESN'T NEED THE RIGOR OF THE HUMAN EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM!

FINE, FINE.

WHO ARE YOU TO SAY A CHILD DOESN'T NEED A PROPER EDUCATION?!

I'LL HAVE YOU KNOW STEVEN HAS BEEN LEARNING PLENTY WHILE IN OUR CARE!

HE MAY NOT LEARN IN AN ACTUAL SCHOOL BUT HE HAS HAD A PROPER EDUCATION?!

THE SPACE FRIENDS. THEY'RE...*REAL!?*

WE ARE PART OF AN INCREDIBLY ADVANCED SPACEFAIRING RACE KNOWN AS GEMS.

OUR BODIES AND MINDS HAVE TRANCENDED THE RIGID STRUCTURES THAT BIND HUMAN LIVES...

AND UNDER OUR DILIGENT EYE, STEVEN HAS HAD A WORLD CLASS, NO, GALAXY CLASS EDUCATION.

AND ITS CLOSER TO SPACE "FAMILY" RATHER THAN SPACE "FRIENDS."

WHAT IS SPACE LIKE?

MRS. LEZNER! THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR TIME!

REGARDLESS OF STEVEN'S BRILLIANT EDUCATION, WHAT OCCURED TODAY IS STILL INEXCUSABLE.

IT'S NOT JUST MY BRAIN THAT'S GREAT BUT CONNIE'S TOO! SHE HAS A GREAT BRAIN!

IT'S NOT FAIR TO SUSPEND CONNIE BECAUSE OF MY MISTAKES.

CONNIE WAS HERE FIRST, LET HER STAY.

PLEASE PRINCIPAL SANDOVAL! DON'T PUNISH CONNIE.

MRS. LEZNER, WHAT WAS CONNIE'S GRADE ON HER EXAM?

UM... LET'S SEE.

MISS MAHESWARAN RECEIVED A 104% ON HER FINAL EXAM.

HOW IS THAT EVEN POSSIBLE?

THERE WERE UM... TWO EXTRA CREDIT QUESTIONS?

STEVEN MISSED ONE.

HMMMM

I WILL NOT SUSPEND CONNIE FROM SCHOOL.

UNDER ONE CONDITION!

STEVEN IS NEVER EVER **EVER** COME TO THIS SCHOOL AGAIN.

HAHA, STEVEN WOULD NEVER DREAM OF IT!

WHERE DID YOU PARK YOUR MOTHERSHIP? THE PARKING LOT FILLS UP SO FAST THESE DAYS HAHA!

YOU MUST HAVE... MISUNDERSTOOD, STEVEN IS NOT OUR CHILD.

IT'S COMPLICATED.

NO, NO. "MOTHERSHIPS" ARE WHAT YOU CALL BIG ALIEN SPACE SHIPS.

OH, YOU KNOW LIKE "BEAM ME, STAR COMMAND."

WHY WOULD YOU ASSIGN YOUR SHIP A GENDER?

WHEN I SAID THAT STEVEN WAS NO LONGER ALLOWED IN MY SCHOOL BUILDING...

THAT WAS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY!

SUMMER

BOY

THE SCIENTIFIC NAME IS *LITTORARIA IRRORATA*, SOMETIMES REFFERED TO AS "THE MARSH PERIWINKLE."

AWWWW CUTE!

CONNIE, CAN THAT BE MY NEW NICKNAME PLEASE?!

HAHA, WHAT MAKES YOU THINK YOU'RE A "MARSH PERIWINKLE."

HAHA

OH COME ON! LOOK AT ME.

CONNIE!

OH HEY!

HEYYY, WE JUST WANT TO SAY... WELL, HEY.

HOW'RE YOU?

WE JUST WANTED TO... COMMEND YOU FOR YOUR INCREDIBLE LEADERSHIP WITH THAT SNAIL.

OH IT WAS NOTHING, REALLY.

BESIDES I LEARNED A LOT OF THAT STUFF WATCHING THE CRYSTAL GEMS IN ACTION.

WE WANTED TO OFFER YOU A SPOT WITH THE JUNIOR SAFETY PATROL.

OH MY GOODNESS!

THANK YOU.
I AM VERY HONORED
THAT YOU'RE GIVING ME
THIS OPPORTUNITY.

SNIFFF

STEVEN! C'MON!

BYE CONNIE!
BYE JUNIOR SAFETY PATROL!

FFFFTTTTTT

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

DO YOU HAVE EVERYTHING? ENOUGH BOOKS? PENS? PAPER? LUNCH MONEY? LET'S RUN THROUGH THIS CHECKLIST ONE MORE TIME.

HAHA I'LL BE FINE DAD!

WHERE IS THIS BUS! IT BETTER NOT MAKE YOU LATE.

BYE STEVEN, DON'T HAVE TOO MUCH FUN WITHOUT ME.

UM...

HI CONNIE!

READY LION?

MRS LEZNER, WHAT IS... GOING ON?

CONNIE! WELCOME BACK! ARE YOU EXCITED FOR ANOTHER FUN FILLED SCHOOL YEAR?

WHY IS EVERYONE WEARING MY GLASSES?

BECAUSE WE'RE CELEBRATING YOU SAVING OUR SCHOOL! IT'S CONNIE DAY!

I'D OFFER YOU A PAIR BUT HAHA, YOU ALREADY HAVE THEM.

I'M NOT BEING PARANOID LION! JUST WANT TO MAKE SURE SHE MADE IT SAFE AND SOUND.

COUGH

GOOD MORNING, UNIVERSE.

FINE! I WON'T COME BACKKKK!

UNIVERSE! COME BACK HERE...

AS PRINCIPAL, I'D LIKE TO OFFER YOU THIS AS A TOKEN OF OUR GRATITUDE FOR SAVING OUR SCHOOL.

Permanent Record

Steven Universe

TODAY STEVEN UNIVERSE, YOU ARE A HONORARY STUDENT OF MINE.

THANKK YOUUUU!

WELCOME BACK CONNIE!
CONNIE, SIT WITH US!
NO OVER HERE!
UMMMM... WELL...

CONNIE, SIT WITH US.

I THOUGHT WE WERE SITTING OVER HERE!

NO WE'RE ALL OVER HERE!

I CAN'T TELL ANYONE APART WHEN WE ALL HAVE THE SAME GLASSES!

OH... UMM...

OH OF COURSE, CONNIE. YOUR USUAL SPOT IN THE LIBRARY IS STILL AVAILABLE.

THE END

YARD SALE!!

YARD SALE!

WHY WOULD ANYONE GET RID OF THEIR STUFF?

HUMANS SELL THINGS THEY DON'T WANT TO MAKE SPACE.

AND I'M IN THE MARKET TO BUY!

I GUESS YOU COULD SAY HELPING DAD AT THE CAR WASH REALLY... PAID OFF.

WHAT EVEN IS THIS?

GOT IT.

GOT TWO OF THAT...

ALREADY GOOOOHHH MY GOSHH!!

COULD IT BE...?? AN ORIGINAL SUPERGAME CONSOLE?!

STEVEN!

I NEED THIS GUITAR!! IT HAS TWO THINGIES!

OH, AMETHYST! I THOUGHT YOU'D BE INTO THAT. HALF PRICE, JUST FOR YOU.

PLEEEEEASE STEVEN?

HALF PRICE HUH? SOUNDS LIKE A BARGAIN TO ME!

I'VE NEVER SEEN A SWORD LIKE THIS BEFORE.

IT MUST BE SOME RARE HUMAN DESIGN.

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OH MAN, AND IT EVEN HAS THE DOUBLE CONTROLLER!

STEVEN, DO YOU THINK I COULD HAVE THIS?

I'D LIKE TO RESEARCH ITS TECHNIQUE.

OH, SURE! I BOUGHT AMETHYST SOMETHING, AFTER ALL.

HMM.

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HEH.

MOM SQUAD

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I'M KEEPING THIS.

I GOT IT.

GIVE ME A SECOND, GUYS, I'M JUST GONNA BUY THIS SUPERGAME-

HUH??

AW JEEZ, I GUESS I SPENT IT ALL...

OH, I'M SO SORRY, STEVEN! MAYBE WE COULD... GIVE THESE BACK?

BUT THIS STUFF IS SO COOL...

DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT! I'VE GOTTA GO HELP DAD AGAIN ANYWAY.

I'LL SEE YOU BACK AT HOME!

VIDALIA, MAYBE THERE'S SOMETHING WE COULD DO IN EXCHANGE?

OH, OH, I KNOW!

SOON:

WELL? HOW ABOUT IT? TRADE YOU FOR SOMETHING!

AMETHYST, I'VE KNOWN YOU FOR LONG ENOUGH TO KNOW THAT THERE'S NOTHING I WANT FROM YOUR ROOM.

I COULD FIX YOUR CAR!

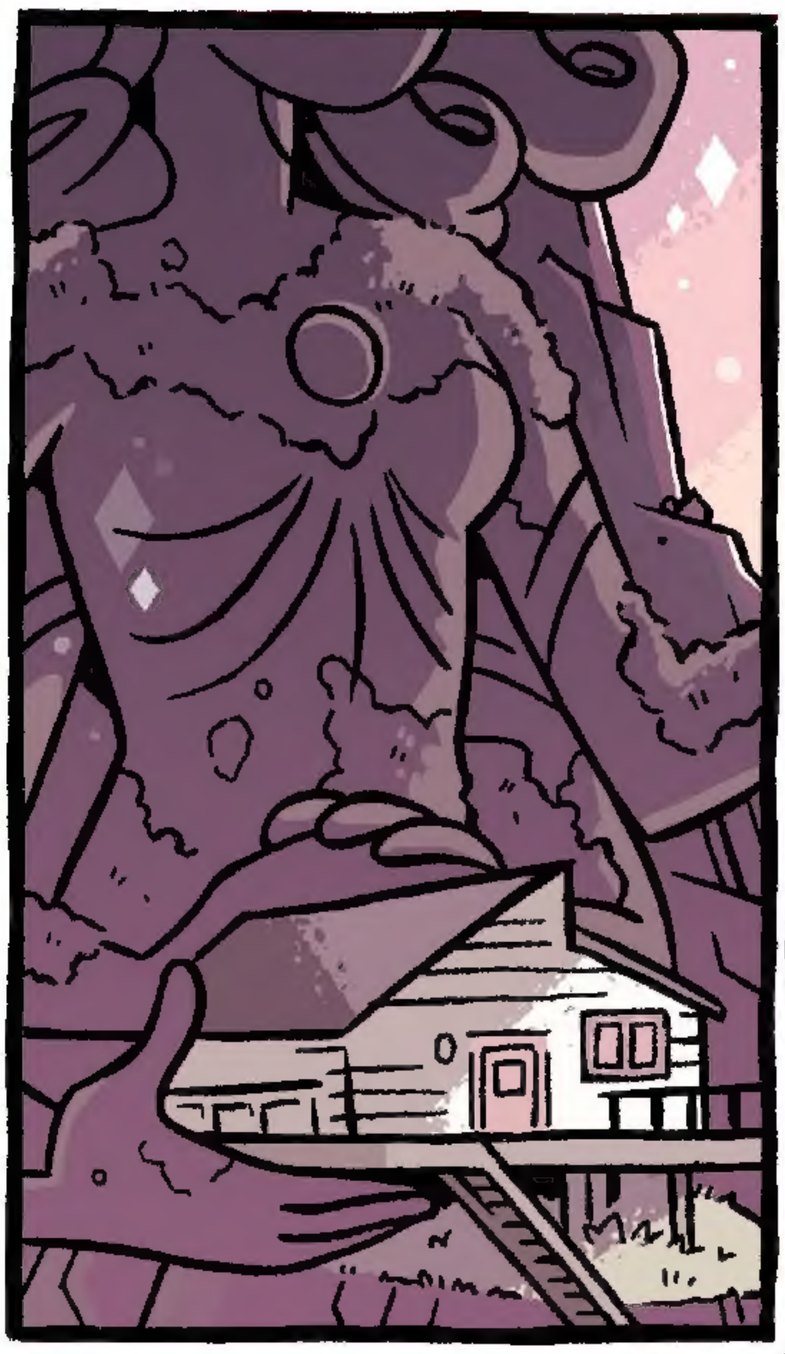
MY CAR'S NOT BROKEN...

I COULD BREAK YOUR CAR.

WHY WOULD I WANT THAT!?!

LOOK, IF STEVEN WANTS THIS SO BADLY, THERE IS ONE THING...

YOU GUYS DID WHAT!?!



WE SAID WE'D BABYSIT ONION ANY TIME FOR A YEAR!
BY WHICH WE MEAN YOU'LL BABYSIT HIM. WE HAVE GEM THINGS TO DO.
BUT WE GOT YOU THAT CONSOLE YOU WANTED! ISN'T THAT GREAT?
NOTHING IS WORTH THIS!!
SQUEEEEEEEZE
...

END

SCHOOLBOY STEVEN...ACTIVATE

Steven finds himself enrolled in Connie's school after a show-and-tell lesson goes awry, and that is just the beginning. After getting to see what normal school is like, Steven is having the time of his life...but it might mean losing Connie in the process. Between wanting to graduate with good grades and keeping her record clean, Connie realizes that having her best friend at school might not have been all it was meant to be. And when a stray gem and homework collide, it's not just friendships on the line but an entire school!

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